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Brighten Up Your House for Xmas

Put a Mazda Lamp in Every Socket

10, 15, 25, 40 Watt, 30c; 60 Watt, 40c; 100 Watt, 75c.
$3.00—8 light assorted color lamp outfit, complete, with attaching plug for tree or window, $2.50.
$2.00 Delta Hand Lamp.... $1.75.
25c Columbia (Red) Dry Cells, 20c.

C. C. STRUMFELS
311 Mill Street Bristol, Pa.

DON'T DELAY YOUR HOLIDAY SHOPPING

Don't delay the task of selecting your Christmas tokens. There are only a few days left and the time will pass with amazing swiftness. Our stock is still quite complete and afford a good selection.

Parisian Ivory, Comb and Brush Sets, Manicure Sets, Leather Goods, Shaving Sets, Cut Glass, Perfumes, Stationery, etc., must be seen to be appreciated.

Post Cards and Booklets, largest assortment in town, 1c to 25c.

DON'T FORGET

That Box of Delicious Xmas Sweets. Fresh shipment in late this week of

Whitman's, Pirika, Apollo and Belle Mead Sweets

in bulk and fancy boxes. Assorted chocolates, bonbons, mixtures, hard candy, nuts, etc.

Special for Xmas Week:
REGULAR 40c CHOCOLATES, 29c
For suggestions see our windows, then inside. Costs you nothing to look.

Fabian's Pharmacy, Cor. Radcliffe & Mulberry Sts., Bristol
Have your prescriptions filled there. Phone 78-D and 178
SUB STATION POST OFFICE NO. 1

Christmas Gifts

Diamond Rings, $5.00 up
Signet Rings, (solid gold) $1.00 up.
Stone Rings of every description for ladies and men, $1.00 to $50.00.
Gold or gold-filled bracelets, (guaranteed), $2.50 up.
A wide selection of beautiful toilet and manicure sets.
Silver mounted shaving cups and brushes.
Elgin, Waltham, Hamilton, Rockford and Illinois Watches.
La Vallieres from $2.00 up.
Fountain Pens in all sizes and styles.
Silver Cigar Lighters and Match Boxes.
Clocks of all descriptions

We Do Engraving
If you need an article at once we can engrave it for you.

J. W. Clark
Mill and Cedar Streets, Bristol, Pa.

Don't Forget that Christmas

Is near, and that we have in our new stock of HOLIDAY GOODS many new and beautiful designs in
Watches, Jewelry, Silverware Cut Glass, Etc.

A. E. Baylies
307 Mill Street, Bristol, Pa.

Christmas Right Here

IN OUR STORE

An opportunity for you to examine the most exclusive line for Christmas.

Xmas Candy
Apollo Chocolates and Vogue Assorted Chocolates, fresh from the factories. In attractive Xmas boxes.

Xmas Stationery
Fine quality Irish Linen paper and Envelopes. Attractive decorated boxes, many styles, new designs in white and tints.

Xmas Post Cards, Booklets and Gifts Cards
All new, this year's latest styles.

Xmas Hand Painted China
New designs and decorations. Floralistic, semi-conventional and conventional. Large assortment, reasonably priced.

Xmas Calendars in Water Colors
Landscapes and figure designs.

Xmas Perfumes
New and attractively boxed. Fine extracts.

Xmas Gift Empty Boxes
White glazed, heavy boxes at reasonable rates.

SERRILL DOUGLASS
PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST
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Gazette Ads Pay

VISIT TO THE THEATRE WHERE LINCOLN WAS SHOT

Gazette Correspondent Finds Much to Interest Him in the Old Building.

SOLDIERS' RECORDS KEPT THERE

By J. E. JONES
(Special Correspondent of the Gazette)

Washington, D. C., December 8. The Efficiency and Economy Commission reported in favor of tearing down Ford's Theatre, where Abraham Lincoln was shot, and although that was more than a year ago, the reporters still make a piece of news of the story that the building is to be abandoned and leveled to the ground. However, the War Department, which is in charge of the building, and has its destiny in keeping, has absolutely no intention or purpose to give up the structure. In fact, extensive repairs have been made on the building within recent months, and since it is well lighted and airy, and the foundation and walls firm and substantial, there is not the slightest reason to suppose that Ford's Theatre will not be used as an office building by the government for many years to come.

There are a hundred people employed by the Adjutant General's office in the Ford theatre building, and although the Washington guide book says the place "contains nothing of interest," I found it very interesting. For though the place has been completely remodeled since that dreadful night of April 14, 1865, when John Wilkes Booth assassinated the great Lincoln, yet I found the location of the stage, the Lincoln box, and passed through the same door by which Booth made his escape. And employed in the building I met Edwin H. Spang, who went "with his girl" to Ford's theatre, and he told me how he made use of his season pass that very night, and arrived in the theatre ten minutes before the tragedy occurred. Spang is now a gray-haired old man, but he is only one of a good many veterans of the Civil War who work within the gray brick walls keeping straight the war records of the men who fought for and against the United States.

Originally the structure was a Baptist church, which explains the peaked roof so unusual in modern building operations. As a theatre it must have been a very fine one for its day, since the auditorium was large, and it is still possible to figure out what was the location of the orchestra floor, the balcony and the "peanut gallery." These three floors now do service for office purposes. And though the alley at the rear has been changed as a result of the congestion of business, yet standing in the door through which the murderer escaped it is possible to trace the direction taken by that fleet-footed white horse that carried J. Wilkes Booth eighty miles away in his flight from the righteous wrath of a people struck almost dumb by the horror of his deed.

Perhaps the guide book is right when it says that Ford's theatre "contains nothing of interest." But standing there in the centre of the great building on the fifty-first anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg address, my attention fell upon the labels of the long rows of card files which occupy almost the entire space of three floors, and I learned that here the records of soldiers of the war of 1812, the Civil War, the Spanish-American War, and the Philippine insurrection are carefully preserved. Some of these sections are devoted to the Confederacy, and it may be a little surprising to most people to learn that the United States Government has an almost complete record of the men who wore the gray. Tiers were devoted to Confederate battalions, sharpshooters, infantry, artillery and State Guards, and the roster of these troops from Alabama to Virginia is as carefully kept as those of the Union troops. In response to the question I was informed that one of the reasons was to aid the state-pensioning plans of a number of Southern states, and my informant added that during the Civil War Northern soldiers captured a great many records of the Confederates, so that it had been found best for Uncle Sam to maintain the roster of Southern troops. At the present time a representative of the State of Mississippi is engaged in copying the records for that State.

There are miles of rows of these cards, and I was struck by the fact that these gray headed old men who work in this place evidenced a tender sentiment for these little white cards, each of which was the story of a man gone to war. The spirit of the words of Lincoln stood preserved before me: "It is for us, the living, rather to be dedicated here to the unfinished work that they have thus far so nobly carried on. It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task of remaining before us; that from these honored dead we take increased devotion to the cause for which they here gave the last full measure of devotion; that we here highly resolve that the dead shall not have lived in vain." And yet it is written that this is an uninteresting place!

Ford's theatre closed as an amusement house the night Lincoln was shot. The Government acquired the building and used it for various office purposes. On June 9, 1893, it became the scene of a second tragedy. Between 400 and 500 clerks were at work, when suddenly the three floors dropped, and this great mass of humanity was pitched into the basement. Twenty-one were killed and many more injured. Mr. A. G. Yount and Mr. L. A. Rosafy escaped death and both carry scars as evidence of their injuries. This occurence was due to insecure supports being supplied by contractors who were rearranging the floors and interior of the structure.

Ford's theatre is an institution of the nation. Its outer walls afford the view that satisfies the tourist and the sightseer who takes a running look at things as he passes. There is no danger that it will be torn down or changed for a great many years, and meanwhile it will continue to serve as a habitation for Government business, and thousands of strangers will pass it every week and be satisfied to behold the place from the outside. Across the way stands a little brick house, and in this place Abraham Lincoln died.

STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS

Mrs. LaRue, of Tullytown, Found Dead in Bed.

Mary E. LaRue, widow of the late Daniel LaRue, died last Friday at her home in Tullytown as a result of a stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. LaRue was stricken very suddenly, on Wednesday morning. It was customary for the deceased, who was 73 years of age, to be called in the morning by members of the family who arose early.

At 7 o'clock Mrs. LaRue was called as usual, but did not respond to the summons. The second failure to respond to the call was investigated by a member of the family, who found her in bed suffering with a stroke of paralysis.

The deceased was a highly respected resident of Tullytown and was well known in the community where she had a wide circle of friends.

The funeral was held Monday at noon from the home of Elwood LaRue, Main street, Tullytown, and interment was made in Beechwood cemetery.

EDGELY

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McLaughlin and Ellwood Britton, of Riverview, were Saturday and Sunday guests of Ernest Cowell in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Adams, of upper Edgely, ... week-end guests of relatives in ..., N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Kensil, of Philadelphia, were Saturday until Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Remine at "Cozy Nook."

J. H. Keiper, of Emilie, will open a cigar store at Headley Manor on January 1st.

Subscriptions to the fund for purchasing a pumping engine for the Bristol fire department are coming in rather slow from the residents of Edgely and vicinity. William M. Remine has been authorized to receive contributions and will be pleased to call on you if you drop him a postal.

Edward Vanscіver, of Edgely, was the guest of relatives in Burlington, N. J., last week.

Jesse McLaughlin, of Camden, N. J., was the guest of his brother at this place last week.

George W. Shultz, of Headley Manor, who recently returned from a Trenton hospital, is reported as improving rapidly and it is expected that he will soon be able to be about.

Mrs. William M. Remine, of Edgely, was the guest of relatives in Philadelphia several days this week.

Charles T. Blackford, of Edgely, who recently purchased the remaining lots belonging to the Riverview Farms Co., contemplates building two or three houses in the spring and says he will construct as many more as the demand warrants.

The members of the Edgely Gun Club will hold a blue rock shoot in connection with the Bristol Shooting Association on the latter's grounds at Croydon, on Saturday afternoon, December 12th. A good attendance is requested.

The "Clipping Party" held at the Headley Manor Sunday school last Friday evening, proved to be a very successful affair and there was a large attendance. Refreshments were served and everyone present enjoyed themselves.

Mrs. Mary E. LaRue, widow of the late Daniel LaRue, who died at Tullytown last Friday from a stroke of paralysis, was well known by our residents and was highly respected by all.

The children of Headley Manor Sunday school are rehearsing for their Christmas entertainment and are progressing nicely.

FALLSINGTON

Charles Klockner was struck in the eye by a heavy chain, inflicting a serious injury.

The teachers of the Morrisville schools have presented to Mrs. Joseph White, formerly Miss Edith S. Hibbs, a handsome mahogany clock as a token of their esteem for her.

Two lads who have been annoying the people of the village, were arrested for stealing tools from a motorcycle, but on account of their youth, were let off with a fine.

The family of Thomas Smith have moved to Pittsfield, Mass.

The William H. Moon Company is furnishing a large order for trees to a private estate on Long Island. Over ten loads have been shipped by motor trucks, but the larger part goes by barge over the Delaware and Raritan canal, from Trenton to New York bay and East River to Oyster Bay.

Watson Satterthwaite entertained a number of his relatives at a gunning party on Friday.

Mrs. Hiram Bateman is on the sick list.

Miss Grace Mechler was given a surprise tea in honor of her birthday on Tuesday.

Several of our young people attended the dance given in the Arcade in Trenton by the Chippewa Canoe Club.

Miss Paulina Leigh and cousin, Henry Foster, of Rhode Island, were guests of Henry Satterthwaite on Wednesday.

AFTER SIX YEARS

Bristol Testimony Remains Unshaken.

Time is the best test of truth. Here is a Bristol story that has stood the test of time. It is a story with a point which will come straight home to many of us.

Mrs. T. F. Muffett, Bath and Mifflin streets, Bristol, says: "I had almost constant pain in the small of my back and my kidneys distressed me when I was lying down. No position was comfortable and I could hardly straighten after stooping. I tried a great deal of medicine, but found no relief until I took Doan's Kidney Pills. They soon went to the root of the trouble, removing the backache and kidney weakness." (Statement given February 3rd, 1908.)

OVER SIX YEARS LATER, Mrs. Muffet said: "Doan's Kidney Pills have helped me whenever I have taken them, in fact, nothing else has ever given me such good results."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Muffet had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

A committee is receiving subscriptions of ten centimes (2 cents) each for the purchase of a sword which will be presented to King Albert of Belgium by the Parisians in honor of his bravery in the campaign with the Allies in Flanders.

In the course of one day Father Knickerbocker eats 4,947,996 eggs.

WHEN THE TIRED MOTHER GIVES OUT

What Then?—The Family Suffers, the Poor Mothers Suffer—Mrs. Becker Meets This Distressing Situation.

Collinsville, Ill.—"I suffered from a nervous break-down and terrible headaches, and was tired all over, totally worn out and too discouraged to enjoy life, but as I had four in family and sometimes eight or nine boarders, I kept on working despite my suffering.

"I saw Vinol advertised and decided to try it, and within two weeks I noticed a decided improvement in my condition and now I am a well woman." —Mrs. ANA BECKER, Collinsville, Ill.

There are hundreds of nervous, run-down, overworked women in this vicinity who are hardly able to drag around and who we are sure would be wonderfully benefited by Vinol as Mrs. Becker was.

The reason Vinol is so successful in building up health and strength in such cases is because it combines the medicinal tissue building and curative elements of cod's livers together with the blood making, strengthening properties of tonic iron. We ask every weak, nervous, run-down man or woman in this vicinity to try a bottle of Vinol on our guarantee to return their money if it fails to benefit.

Emlen Martin, Druggist, Bristol, Pa.

COURT TRIAL FOR BOY MURDERER THIS MONTH

Doylestown Constable's Slayer to Be Arraigned December 21st.

COPE TRIAL IS POSTPONED

"Broncho" William Miller, who shot Constable Henry A. Kolbe dead on West Ashland street, Doylestown, on Tuesday morning, September 22, will be placed on trial on Monday morning, December 21, the second week of the December term of Criminal Court.

John A. Cope, who killed his niece, Florence V. Cope, near Buckingham Valley, on Monday night, September 28, will not be tried at the coming term of court, his case having been postponed by agreement of counsel. Cope only had his hearing last Wednesday, and with the press of other business before the court, it was found to be impossible to try two murder cases at the coming term.

BIG CRIMINAL LIST.

There are sixty-two cases on the criminal list for the next term, which opens on Monday, December 14. This is one of the longest criminal lists before the court in years. Almost every variety of crime in the criminal calendar is covered by the bills of indictment. Burglary, larceny, arson, horse stealing, rape and other higher crimes are prominent in the list of cases, while violation of the liquor laws and lesser offenses comprise the remainder. The list, as furnished by District Attorney Calvin S. Boyer, is as follows:

LIST OF CASES.

William Miller, murder.
John A. Cope, murder.
Leidy Hockman, incest, f. and b.
William H. Robinson, Earl Robinson and James Dontrie, felonious entry, larceny, receiving stolen goods, malicious mischief.
Samuel Jersey, alias Samuel Jerzy, furnishing liquor to a person of known intemperate habits and in exchange for goods.
Roger Ragland, alias Kimble Ragland, assault and battery with intent to kill, aggravated assault and battery.
John Mulligan, Harry Strumfels and William Bannon, nuisance.
Harry Draman, secreting goods to prevent levy, etc.
Harry Carver, furnishing cigarettes to a minor.
Harry Ochsman, larceny, receiving stolen goods.
Harry Rumfield, f. and b.
William Miller, forgery.
Charles Wagner, arson, burglary, felonious entry, larceny and receiving stolen goods.
Michael Higgins, alias Michael Hart, horse stealing, larceny, receiving stolen goods.
Mrs. Charles V. Murray, alias Agnes Murray, assault and battery.
Oscar Miller, larceny, receiving stolen goods.
Asa F. Hockman, f. and b.
John Merci, alias Traian Merci, offering to sell liquor without a license.
John Sims, nuisance.
William Fanagan, malicious mischief, surety.
George Hazlett, George Strum and Daniel Mawhiell, felonious entry of a box car.
Jose Belvedere, carrying concealed deadly weapons.
Nicolas Swartz, assault and battery, cruelty to animals.
Samuel Gilbert, assault and battery.
Simon Edgar Sessna, Ernest Barton and Mauris Wright, felonious entry, larceny, receiving stolen goods.
Simon Edgar Sessna and Maurice Wright, larceny, receiving stolen goods.
Simon Edgar Sessna, Morris Wright and Allen Rhine, felonious entry, larceny, receiving stolen goods.
Fred Zimmerman, forgery, uttering a forgery.
Jesse Hoopes, selling liquor without a license.
Tony Hoopes, alias Thomas Vencinle, selling liquor without a license.
Vivian Potts, aggravated assault and battery, assault and battery.
John U. Smith, adultery, f. and b.
Harry R. Fest, Chester Durflinger and John Large, riot, unlawful assembly, assault and battery, malicious mischief.
Albert Davis, felonious entry, larceny, receiving stolen goods.
Morriedony Wilson, furnishing liquor to persons of known intemperate habits.
Francis Wittko, f. and b.
William Badum, fornication.
Henry Arnold, assault and battery.
John Cole and Philip Lafferty, larceny, receiving stolen goods.
Daniel Bradley, nuisance.
Frank Heitzman, open lewdness and nuisance.
Leopold Weaver, defrauding hotel-keeper.
Matthew Gants, nuisance.
Harry Sievers, being a tramp.
Nicholas Zahorick, assault and battery with intent to kill, assault and battery, wantonly pointing a pistol, carrying concealed deadly weapons.
Edward Rhu, Jr., f. and b.
Anthony McCue, non-support of aged parent.
James Crawford, being a tramp.
George Hazlett, carrying concealed deadly weapons.
Howard Reichard, f. and b.
Catherine Capello, assault and battery with intent to kill, aggravated assault and battery and assault and battery.
John J. Terneson, assault and battery.
Hannah A. Grant, carrying concealed deadly weapons.
Milton H. Weaver, abortion.
Thomas Bradley, being a tramp.
B. F. Webster, assault and battery.
William Matthews, f. and b.
Ed. Curtis, larceny and receiving stolen goods.
George DuBois, rape.

DEMENTED BRISTOL WOMAN

Threatened Life of Father of Rose Stahl, the Actress, in Trenton.

A demented woman, Margaret Risdon, 55 years old, who declared she formerly lived in Bristol, created a scene in an office building in Trenton last Saturday when she threatened threatened the life of Colonel E. C. Stahl, the aged father of Rose Stahl, the actress. She went to the American Mechanics building where Colonel Stahl has an office and said she went there to shoot the Colonel. She put up a stiff fight with two policemen before they landed her in a cell and finally transferred her to the insane hospital, from where it is alleged she escaped. She was formerly employed as a nurse in the Stahl family and entertained a fancied grievance against the head of the family.

NEWPORTVILLE

Louis Taylor is on the sick list.

Miss Elizabeth Vandegrift took an auto trip to New London, Conn., on Friday.

Mrs. John Collins was a business visitor in Philadelphia on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Potter, of Morrisville, are spending some time in Newportville.

Miss Carrye Carter is on the sick list.

One can judge a woman's wardrobe by the clothes she takes with her on a two days' visit; they are the best she has.

LANGHORNE

Adam Geibel, the blind mu... will have charge of the evening service at the Presbyterian church this Sunday evening at 7.45. He ... the author of many hymns and a number of his compositions will be sung ...day.

Thirty-three dollars was realized by the entertainment given by the Ladies' Auxiliary.

Bishop Joseph Berry will speak at the M. E. church on Wednesday evening, the 16th.

Daily tests of the Langhorne Spring Water Company supply is made by Dr. S. LeRoy Ridge.

A number of our interested firemen attended the exhibit and demonstration of the new pumping engine apparatus of the Bristol Fire Company on Saturday.

Rev. James Bingham baptized twelve adults and received five new members at the communion service on Sunday morning. From the new converts the pastor has formed three classes for instruction on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoon.

About 50 books have been presented to the library by E... ard G. Myers, Jr., of Philadelph... being books belonging to the lib... t, Annie Myers, who was ... in 1827. Leonard G. Myers, Jr., is the son of the late Congressman Conard G. Myers, who was also born in Langhorne, the descendant of Arnold Myers.

Rev. Howard W. Gernand, rector of the St. James church, has resigned his position of rector, preaching his last sermon on Sunday and left on Wednesday for the University of Toronto to pursue special studies. Rev. Gernand's pastorate has been most gratifying to the members of St. James and much regret is expressed that the pleasant and helpful relation is severed.

Thursday, the 17th, will be guest day at the Sorosis and everyone is privileged to bring a friend. There will be special music and the speaker of the day will be Miss Marie D. Spahr, of Philadelphia, who will speak of College Settlement Work, the day being in charge of Miss Sara T. Marshall, chairman.

The Langhorne Band has purchased very pretty suits and makes a fine showing while on parade. There are sixteen in the band under the direction of Charles Seifert. George Greeby serves as president, George Hackett, secretary; Howard MacGuire, treasurer. The other members are: Walert and Harry Seifert, William Blessing, Walter LeMar, Joseph Harris, Ferdinand Reetz, Charles Afflebach, William Affelbach, Russell Bispham, William Breisford, LeRoy Laffler, Ernest Shade.

The large and beautiful Dane owned by Rev. James Bingham, but later given to a friend at Scottsville, was recently poisoned. A post mortem examination by Dr. Terry revealed the cause of death.

The Methodist Sunday school will have their Christmas entertainment on Monday evening, December 28th.

About $150 were realized at the fair given by the ladies of the M. E. church and Sunday school scholars on Thursday and Friday. The proceeds are to go towards the hot water heater of the parsonage.

Mrs. Lavinia Dingee, of Trevose, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Benjamin Vansant.

Rev. William H. Mullen, of Philadelphia, guest of Rev. James Bingham, spoke at the M. E. church on Sunday evening.

The "Polly Annas" were entertained by Mrs. William H. Ivins recently and on Wednesday by Mrs. Allen R. Mitchell. They are busy making garments for the Friends' Neighborhod Guild and as they are entertained at luncheon there is a long afternoon in which they can take many stitches for the helpful organization.

So many people have placed that $200 Victrola in their home (in their mind's eye) that will be given to the holder of the lucky ticket for the dance at the B. C. C. C. on Saturday, the 19th. The tickets are 50 cents and can be bought from J. Dawson Paul or any member of the committee.

Frank Mellon, of Maryland, has been visiting his parents.

Mrs. Harry N. Carter and William Kitchin, of Philadelphia, have been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Muloch White entertained the evening card party on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Augustus Davis and Miss Phoebe Boyd have returned to Philadelphia for the winter.

Miss Mary Gillingham has been visiting in Palmyra.

Miss Mary King Stokes has returned to Philadelphia for the winter.

William B. Parry will give the third annual banquet to the occupants of the Parry building, on Wednesday evening, December 16th.

The Can Party given by Miss Ethel G. Praul's Sunday school class on Friday evening, was a great success. A short entertainment was given and a number of cans of fruit, vegetables, jellies, etc., were brought for the Presbyterian Orphanage, Philadelphia.

Lengthy and interesting articles have been printed in the Ledger, North American and Bulletin concerning Prof. Henry Guy Walters and his experiments in grafting, to which he is giving marked attention.

The card party given by the S. P. C. A. on Tuesday evening at Sorosis, was a financial and social success, every one enjoying the evening, which was in charge of Mrs. Leicester K. Davis, Mrs. Warner E. Tryon, Miss Marion Tilton.

At the fair to be held by Sorosis on Thursday, the 17th, there will be attractive water colors on calendars, etc., by Miss Mary King Stokes, many of them views of her trip abroad last summer, particularly the picturesque of England and Holland, and also pictures by Thomas Higgins, of Bath, Maine, who gives attractive scenes of New England. These calendars will be very reasonably priced and as a gift will be a 365 times reminder of your friendship.

Miss Nan Kirkpatrick, of Vineland, N. J., has been spending a few days with Mrs. George Fetterolf.

Miss Laura Hibbs, of New York, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pascall C. Hibbs.

Miss Mayanna B. Tomlinson, of Long Island, spent Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. William Tomlinson.

The Bucks County Realty Company has rented Annie P. Roberts' house on West Maple avenue to George H. Frank, of near Bristol.

The two Italians arrested by State Police on Saturday, on what used to be known as the George Reed farm, on suspicion of hunting without a license, were discharged at a hearing before Squire Appleton for want of sufficient evidence.

Charles H. Lovett was selected assistant manager of the U. of P. football team for 1915, he being the one appointed of the sixteen under consideration by the students.

A French army corps is made up of twenty-four battalions of rather over one thousand men each. These are sectioned into eight regiments, each of three battalions, and these again are formed into four brigades, two of which compose a division.

...VIEW OF IMPORTANT EVENTS AT COUNTY SEAT

Interesting Correspondence From Our Doylestown Representative.

Doylestown, December 9, 1914. John A. Cope, the man who murdered his niece, in Buckingham township, near Forest Grove, a few weeks ago, seems to be taking his confinement easily and apparently feels but little doubt of the result. He claims that the whole thing was accidental and that he had no more idea of injuring his niece, who had always been his favorite, than he had of killing himself, which seems rather doubtful, but still may be true, because he also says, as was said in this column in writing up the murder, that the true story of what happened on that unfortunate, to say the least of it, occasion, has never been told and presumably acting under the advice of counsel he refuses to give his version of the shooting at this time, but says a time will come when the whole truth of the shooting will be told and seems to feel that it will not be as unfavorable as past reports would seem to indicate. He is reported as having written a letter in which he says in effect that when he shot up the stairway, in the dark, that he had no idea that his niece was any where near the place he shot at, but does not indicate at what he shot. This makes one man convicted of murder and two accused of murder in jail now and a woman who may yet have the charge of murder to answer to, something that never happened in Bucks county before and we all at the county seat hope it never will again. Plewka will probably be sentenced next week and will probably have his decorative irons on at the time. "Broncho Bill" Miller will in all probability be tried for the murder of Officer Henry Kolbe and will put up the story that Kolbe was trying to get the gun when it went off in the struggle and killed the officer. He will have to give a better sleight of hand exhibition at his trial than he did before Magistrate Nightingale if he wants the jury to even consider his impossible story. John A. Cope will probably be tried at the first Criminal Term next year.

Just at the present time Jailer Fletcher, who manages the county boarding house, at the county seat, has seventy-three prisoners, one more than his capacity, although he is still taking them in and Sheriff Charles M. Meredith says: "Let 'em come, the more the better for me and any how it costs but little more to feed sixty than it does seventy and ninety per cent. of them get much better grub in there than they were getting outside. Booze of all descriptions, however, is not served with or without meals, it is strictly a prohibition boarding establishment and only the most nourishing food is served and as there are no extras to be had, there is no extra price to pay. It is a one price place.

We now have a war, a real war beside which that of the English, French and Russians against the Germans and Austrians fades into insignificance, and the best part of it is that with the exception of those directly interested in the battles and on the firing line, the general public are being greatly benefitted by it while it lasts, so do not send your Bristol yeomanry up to stop it. It started in a small way. A well known young man interested in the wholesale coal business, thought he saw an opportunity to go into the retail business in Doylestown, so he obtained an option on an eligible site and proceeded to get contractors prices for the erection of the necessary bins, buildings, etc., when much to his chagrin one of the men of whom he had asked prices said: "What's the use? You will never be allowed to use them, because the coal dealers here have an agreement with the Reading Railway by which no more coal yards can be started in Doylestown without their consent, and if you do get your yards the Reading will refuse to deliver you coal, and if you take them into court your coal will be lost so frequently between the mines and here that you will never get it until six, eight or ten weeks after it is shipped, not even if you get on the coal car and come down with it." Now this young man is a man of resources and he looked around him and found a friend of his engaged in another line of business, just over the borough line, with an easily adapted site for a coal yard, and so they go into partnership and are open for business, selling a long ton for less money than their competitors sold a short ton for. But now all of the dealers are selling a long ton at the same price, but the new firm promises a still further reduction by which they claim their competitors cannot meet except at a heavy loss or by giving short weight. So you see the county seat is in a good fight that will aid in lessening the expense of keeping warm this winter and the goose bone says it will be a cold one.

Doylestown was cut off from the world early Monday morning by the sleet storm. The Willow Grove Traction Company and the Reading Railway got into action about the same time, but the Newtown line and the Easton line were lame ducks all day and, in fact, nearly all the week. Trolley connections outside of Doylestown were visions of the past, and with the exception of a few trunk main lines, we are almost without telephone or telegraph, and with a heavy criminal court coming on next week, we are almost as badly off as we were twenty-five years ago. Of course the trolleys will make strenuous efforts to make their schedule good, but there will be more witnesses and jurymen staying over night here than for several years past. Fortunately we are able to accommodate them comfortably, give them a good bed and plenty to eat and what more do they want except all the comforts of home?

The great problem here is how to induce the trolley companies to keep their cars reasonably warm. That it can be done is proven by every car run over the Lehigh Valley on any and every cold day. Why cannot we have heat? The answer seems to be because the trolley companies won't give it. But public opinion has never lost out yet and it will beat them out inside of thirty days and then warm cars.

By using finely powdered ingredients, articles are now made of cement which have the quality of the finest porcelain.

Polygamy was declared a felony in England in 1604, but it was not until 1866 that Congress made plurality marriages unlawful in the United States.

According to a Canadian report 100,000 Indians living in the Yukon region have offered their services to the British and have contributed $13,000 to the war funds.

The Empress of Russia and her two eldest daughters, the Grand Duchess Olga and Tatiana, are acting as Red Cross nurses, wearing the gray uniform of Russian nurses and striving to preserve their incognito.

Horses and mules valued at $2,400,000 have been shipped from the National stock yards here to the French and British Governments since the war began, according to a statement given out at the yards on November 17.

HULMEVILLE

Mrs. Sarah Stoner is spending some time in Trenton.

Mrs. Russell T. Warner, of Malvern, spent several days of last week with Mrs. Amy Worthington.

Mrs. Cyrus E. Smith spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse G. Webster spent Saturday and Sunday at Parkesburg, visiting relatives.

The business meeting of the Epworth League will be held at the home of J. C. Everitt on Monday evening, December 14th.

Mrs. Amy Worthington, Mrs. ... Brown and son, Russell, and M... Douglass spent Wednesday ... phia.

The Ladies' Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. Sarah L... on Wednesday afternoon.

The final quarterly conference of the conference year will be held on Tuesday afternoon, December 29th in the M. E. church.

The Hoffman Adult Bible Class held their monthly meeting in the lecture room of the M. E. church on Friday evening.

The Mothers' Guild of Grace P. E. church, met at the residence of Mrs. William Shoemaker at Emilie on Thursday afternoon.

The regular meeting of borough council was held in the council chamber on Monday evening.

The interment of W. Eldridge Watson, of Andalusia, occurred at Beechwood cemetery on Sunday afternoon.

The rain and sleet storm of Saturday evening disarranged the schedule of the Bucks County Interurban Railway Company. The effect of the storm, which was much heavier on the upper end of the road, was still very perceptible on Monday morning to the traveling public who had to make rail road connections at Langhorne station.

The interment of Mrs. Mary LaRue, widow of the late Daniel LaRue, formerly of this village, took place at Beechwood cemetery on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Hannah Everitt has been spending a few days at Eddington visiting her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Davis.

Mrs. Lillie Joyce, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days with Thomas Gill and family.

Edward Watson, of Red Bank, spent Saturday with Joseph Oliver and family.

CORNWELLS

Mrs. Bird, Miss Jennie Bird, Mrs. Ed. Gilbert and Mrs. Mary Hogeland were guests at a quilting party at the home of Mrs. Charles Gilbert.

Mrs. William Stelser and son have returned to their home in Ocean City.

The Connelly family returned this week to their winter home on South Broad street.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Page are moving into their new home on Cornwells avenue.

Mrs. E. Ely has been ill during the week.

Ivins Knight was in town on Sunday. He visited his sister, Miss Marion Knight, who is ill at the home of Mrs. John Knight.

Margaret and Elizabeth Hogeland Harriet and Romelia Wood spent an enjoyable evening at the meeting of the Literary Society on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bauers have returned from a visit to Philadelphia and to Newar[k].

Father Burgess' saddle horse was frightened on Thursday by a train. It bolted down to the State road, through fields, up the avenue again, jumped States' fence and after some time became quiet enough to be caught. Many members of the railroad crew aided Father Burgess in capturing the horse.

Do not forget! Come to the Methodist church on Saturday evening, "Penny Gleaner Night." Good entertainment. A free treat. Christmas gifts for sale. Ice cream for sale. Come and enjoy the evening.

The regular meeting of the Business Men's Association was held on Monday evening. Nine members were present. The meeting was marked with great spirit. A chemical engine has been purchased and a cellar is being dug for a fire house.

EMILIE

Miss Elsie Lodge was visiting in Philadelphia last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. George Aldred entertained on Saturday evening and Sunday, Rev. Roy Welker and Rev. Abe, of Tokio, Japan.

Mrs. Harrison Douglass and son, Barclay, of Hulmeville, were visiting Mrs. William Shoemaker on Thursday.

Sargeant John Kidney has returned to Fort Mott, N. J., after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. William Shoemaker.

Miss Dora Lovett is spending the week in Philadelphia.

Miss Laura Aldred was home over the week-end.

Robert Cox and family have moved to Andalusia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright and granddaughter, Hazel Lynn, were visiting in Philadelphia Saturday and Sunday.

Sunday school, Sunday morning at 9.45, followed by communion service.

ANDALUSIA

Mrs. Jacob Stackhouse is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harvey Fries.

Mrs. Dignan entertained Willim Dignan and bride on Sunday.

Mr. Makin and family moved on Monday.

Many young folks helped Anton O'Donnell celebrate his twenty-first birthday last Saturday.

W. Eldridge Watson died in the Frankford hospital and was buried from his son's residence on Sunday. Interment was in Beechwood cemetery.

Mrs. George Spicer was a recent visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. James McLean.

Rev. Creighton will be ordained next week in Philadelphia.

Moving pictures called "Perils of Pauline," on Friday evening in King's cents.

William Vandegrift was a Sunday visitor here.

Postoffice is now open 6 a. m. to 8 p. m.

The fat woman probably doesn't consider life a dreary waist.

But a man must forget his failures before he can hope to succeed.

Foresight is including the alimony when counting the cost of getting married.

It is a safe plan to keep your hand on your pocketbook when anybody attempts to jolly you.

The pawnbrokers of London must display their names prominently in front of their places of business.

The modern woman is trying to follow in the footsteps of G. W. She wants to be first in war, first in peace and first in the heart of at least one of her countrymen.—Chicago News.

P. O. S. OF A. MEMB... CELEBRATE ANNIVERSA...

Past State President Samuel C. Wells One of the Speakers.

WERE NEARLY 100 BANQUETERS

Nearly 100 persons surrounded the banquet table last Thursday evening at Mo... hall, Otter street, Bristol, ... Washington Camp, No. 780, P. O. S. of A., celebrated its fourth anniversary.

A short session of the lodge was held, after which the members and their invited guests assembled in the lodge room and at about 8.30 o'clock, to the accompaniment of Grim's orchestra, wended their way to the banquet room and surrounded the festal board upon which was served the following menu:

Snapper Soup
Celery Pickles Olives
Rolls Butter
Turkey
Cranberry Sauce Cream Potatoes
Ice Cream Cake Coffee
After Dinner Mints

After the longings of the inner man had been appeased, Toastmaster George F. Cramer, introduced Thomas Williams, of Holmesburg Camp, who is the present District President. Mr. Williams made a few brief remarks at the conclusion of which Past State President Samuel C. Wells, of Philadelphia, made a stirring address. He spoke chiefly upon success and his remarks were enthusiastically received. Mr. Wells has been a guest several times of Bristol Camp and always receives a royal welcome.

The next speaker was William R. Worrell, of Philadelphia, Past District President and a director of the P. O. S. of A. Home at Chalfont. Mr. Worrell spoke more particularly of the home and its work and made a strong and feeling plea in behalf of the aged and incapacitated. His remarks urged a stronger exemplification of brotherly love not only for the aged and infirm, but towards the members in the camp rooms.

At the close of the speechmaking, the floor was cleared and dancing was indulged in by many of those present.

Washington Camp, No. 780, is growing rapidly as the following will show:
Instituted December 6th, 1910, 34 members.
Membership December 6th, 1911, 68 members.
Membership December 6th, 1912, 115 members.
Membership December 6th, 1913, 137 members.
Present membership, 170.

The camp is also in a healthy financial condition and several new candidates are awaiting initiation.

Since its inception the camp has lost three members by death, J. Sylvester Brady, Lincoln F. Spangler and John S. Smith.

The following committee had the successful affair in charge: George F. Cramer, chairman, Russell B. Carty, secretary, Leonard R..., treasurer; John H. Hardy, Frank Welk, Elwood Dyer, William Moore, Harry F. Rogers, James Daniels, Harry Rich.

NEWTOWN

Mrs. Sarah F. Cary was h... on Friday afternoon, when ... hours of 3 and 6, she entertained about 150 friends. Guests were present from New York, Philadelphia, and many places in the county.

Prof. Marion F. Barnes, of Philadelphia, is teaching a number of classes the new dance steps on each Tuesday afternoon and evening, the day of his weekly visits to Newtown.

Miss Helen Worstall entertained friends at dinner on Saturday evening.

Alfred W. Hogeland and family, who have been living in Westfield, N. J., have leased the house recently furnished belonging to the late Watson P. Church and will reside here during the winter, while Mr. Hogeland's business is in Trenton, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Hicks and daughter, Mary, and Mrs. William Barnsley start this Friday morning for Olanda, Florida, which will be the first stop of the winter which they will spend in the Southland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bunting, of Doylestown, were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Stuckert.

Misses Anna, Elizabeth and Clara Chambers are visiting in New York City.

Mrs. Harriet Cary started last Friday for Florida, where she will be a guest of friends for the winter.

Miss Lillian Crewitt gave a card party last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles V. Craven is spending this month in Wilkes-Barre with her son, Rev. John B. Craven.

Tuesday evening the Parents' and Teachers' Association held its monthly meeting. The subject of "Heredity" was discussed and some splendid music was presented by Gardner Cobb, soloist, and Miss Helen Krons, pianist.

Wednesday evening the Friends' Association held its regular monthly meeting.

The Friends' Study Circle has changed its time of meeting from Thursday to alternate Sunday evenings.

The annual Christmas sewing meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Willis Worstall. The garments will be sent to the Friends' Neighborhood Guild, of Philadelphia.

Rev. Herbert A. Sawyer, of the New Hope M. E. church, exchanged pulpits with Rev. Robert McIlvain, of the Newtown church on Sunday morning.

Miss Lucy Aiken, of Philadelphia, was a week-end guest of Miss Margaret Mather.

The young people of the M. E. church are to give a musical and literary entertainment in the church this Friday evening.

The presidents of twelve local branches of the W. C. T. U. and as many county superintendents and county officers, making thirty-five, attended a luncheon followed with a busy business meeting on Saturday at the home of Mrs. William Eyre.

Joseph E. Gumpper has succeeded Charles E. Cornell as superintendent of the Bristol-Doylestown division of the Bucks County Interurban Railway.

The first real bit of winter was felt in Newtown on Saturday, when that evening a sleet storm began and continued during the next three days. The freezing rain clung to the trees and wires and by Sunday afternoon they began to go down with the tremendous weight. Trolley service was crippled, the street lights were put out of commission about 9 p. m. Sunday, and later the house service was out also. However, most of the trouble was remedied by Monday evening and by that time the storm became a rain. Sunday afternoon a fire was discovered in the Bell store, caused by electric wires in a tangle outside. People outside saw the blaze and quickly gained an entrance by breaking in a window, when the fire was put out, with little damage done.

The average man would be all right if he were only half as perfect as he thinks his neighbors ought to be.

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According to the provisions of the Clayton anti trust law, which prohibits interlocking directorates, many directors will have to resign from one or more bank boards with which they are now connected. The law as it applies to interlocking directorates does not become effective until two years from now and it may be that amendments will be made to it before that time.

Some time in the future a man is going to rise up and call blessed the person through whose generosity a cooking school was established in Bristol.

Scientists have proved it, statistics have demonstrated it, and general observation will confirm it that a great part of the inebriety in the country is caused by unwholesome food, lack of food and careless, ignorant cooking.

In connection with the Bristol public school system one of the finest schools in the State is to be established and a scientific instructor will come here two days a week to give the girl scholars, fourteen and fifteen years of age, a two years' course in cooking.

And we say again, as a result, some future husband of a graduate of this school is going to have cause for feeling thankful to the person who is responsible for the cooking course.

The Suburban Metropolitan Planning Commission, which was designed by the 1913 Legislature and which provided a jurisdiction to include a radius of twenty five miles from Philadelphia, has ebbed its life away and is no longer in existence, and there is no longer any such organization. The Bristol borough treasury unhesitatingly contributed its share of the funds to maintain the organization and one of the borough's distinguished citizens was represented on the Commission's membership by appointment of Governor Tener. The Commission rented offices in Philadelphia, secured pretty stationery and leveyed a tax on the territory within twenty-five miles of Philadelphia, but some of the districts did not come across with the coin as easily as Bristol did and their officials declared they would not pay it, because the law was declared to be unconstitutional. The Commission consulted the eminent lawyer, John G. Johnson, and he told them the law was not only unconstitutional but that it would be impossible to draw up a bill that would be constitutional.

It is said that members of the Commission had to go down in their pockets for about $150 each for expenses incurred.

The Inter-State Commerce Commission seems to operate entirely in a one-sided direction. Its whole energy is directed to the curtailing of the income of corporations. While this is being done these corporations are being subjected to all sorts of increased expenditures. Take for instance the railroad companies. They have been compelled by legislation of various forms from time to time to increase their operating expenses, while the Commerce Commission trims their income account. When it comes to demands for increased wages by employes, full crew bills, taxation, etc., representing out go, why not the Inter-State Commerce Commission determine these matters. It is no more than fair. We do not know whether it is true or not, but it was stated the other day in a reliable Philadelphia newspaper, that of every $100 the Pennsylvania Railroad Company earns, the State exacts $18.

FORESTRY FOR CHILDREN

The State of Pennsylvania has cut and marketed millions of dollars worth of pine spruce, hemlock, maple, oak, chestnut etc., and has wasted her resources as other States have.

Our tanneries have used hundreds of thousands of cords of hemlock tan bark to make leather for the shoes of millions of people.

We and our forefathers have used the trees which covered a thousand hills and required centuries to grow.

Billions of feet of good lumber which once grew on our mountains have been destroyed by fires, most of which have been caused by such carelessness and heedlessness as we usually call accident. We have disregarded the conservation of our forests and the purity of our water supply.

The problem of our supply of lumber is a vital one to the prosperity of the State and Nation.

The Commercial Museum, always interested in spreading helpful knowledge, has prepared a lecture on the lumber industry, which describes one of our State's greatest resources. There are beautiful colored lantern slides which show lumbering operations in great detail. In this lecture one may see the felling of trees, the carrying of logs to the mills, the sawing into boards and all the details of the lumber business. Then there are pictures of forest fires and of reforestation. Part of the lecture deals with the lumber camps of the South and West and with the forests of other parts of the world.

This series of beautiful slides with descriptive reading matter, may be borrowed, without cost, from the Commercial Museum, Philadelphia, by any public school teacher. A stereopticon and screen are also loaned by the museum if desired. This subject of forestry is very timely because of the many accounts of forest fires which have been raging in Pennsylvania and other parts of the United States.

"Feast in the Wilderness."

The members of Bethel A. M. E. church Wood street, Bristol, will give a "Feast in the Wilderness" in the church from December 14th to 18th, inclusive and the following programme will be in order:

Monday, December 14, band concert.

Tuesday, December 15, a play entitled "Feast in the Wilderness."

Wednesday, December 16, mysterious disappearance, guess.

Thursday, December 17, baby contest.

Friday, December 18, old folks concert.

The committee in charge will be under the leadership of Mrs. Clara Peirce president; Mrs. Mary E. Young, secretary, and Rev. J. A. Browne, pastor of the church. Season tickets will cost 25 cents, and single admission, 10 cents.

Blessed is many a man who has a red nose is not guilty.

A henpecked husband reminds us of a capon rooster.

Even a dignified man is apt to unbend when he is broke.

REPUBLICANS SPEND $6,600 IN CAMPAIGN

County Committees and Individual Candidates Filed Their Statements.

WASHINGTON PARTY SPENT $183

The statements of the three Bucks county political committees were filed with the Clerk of the Quarter Sessions at Doylestown last Thursday, the last day for filing such accounts.

DEMOCRATIC.

Warren S. Long, treasurer of the Democratic County Committee, presented a statement showing receipts of $1,582.26. Of this amount Harry E. Grim, candidate for Congress, contributed $350; George Ross, candidate for State Senator, $150; Democratic State Central Committee, $400. The expenses of the committee were $1,[...] leaving a balance in the hands of the treasurer of $68.31.

REPUBLICAN.

The statement of Oscar O. Bean, treasurer of the Republican County Committee, shows receipts of $6,680 Joseph R. Grundy contributed to the committee $750; Clarence J. Buckman, candidate for State Senator, $300; Henry W. Watson, candidate for Congress, $500; Postmaster P. W. Minster, of Bristol, $250. The expenses, so far computed, were $6,041.22. There is a balance of unpaid bills amounting to $138.22.

WASHINGTON PARTY.

The receipts of the Washington Party Committee, according to the statement filed, were $144.25; expenditures, $183.92; balance unpaid, $39.67.

INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNTS.

Henry W. Watson, Republican candidate for Congress, filed a statement showing expenditures of $1558.24, with no contributions.

The statement of W. Elmer Savacool, Democratic candidate for Assembly, shows that he received no contributions and expended $179.80.

SILAS MOSS MET TRAGIC DEATH AT MORRISVILLE

Fell From Freight Car and Legs Were Severed From His Body.

DIED IN A TRENTON HOSPITAL

Silas Moss, formerly of Bristol, and son of the late Malden Moss, of this borough, met with a tragic fatal accident at the Morrisville railroad yards Saturday evening. The deceased was employed as a freight brakeman and while working on a train of cars, fell to the tracks. One foot caught in the switch and blocked it, the cars passing over his legs severing them from the body. A Trenton ambulance was summoned and Moss was conveyed to St. Francis Hospital, where he died.

He leaves a widow and a son and daughter, the latter is to graduate at the Trenton Model school at the end of the present term. Two brothers and a sister, Mrs. James Moore, live in Bristol.

Bristolian Sued for Desertion.

Alexander Forsyth, of Bristol, placed on trial charged by his wife with desertion and non-support, was represented by Howard I. James, William Stuckert appearing for the defendant. Counsel for the defendant claimed that the case was not properly under the jurisdiction of the Court and pleaded the statute of limitation. The Court directed that evidence be heard. Mrs. Forsyth testified that she and her husband were married in 1885 and that the desertion took place in 1901. She said she owns four houses in Bristol and did not know whether or not her husband was working. After hearing the testimony of the plaintiff the Court decided that the case was one of misdemeanor and directed a continuation in order that it could be heard before a jury.

The Miracle.

Consider the pumpkin.

It hideth itself amidst the growing corn.

It is the lowliest of all things that groweth in the fields.

The proud farmer spurneth it and the Small Boy laugheth it to scorn.

The Wise Men of the Agricultural College lectureth not upon it. Never has it cost a car shortage.

The bugs devoureth it not and the beetles and the worms and the moths and the weevils and all the mighty host that preyeth upon the haughty Corn and the Wheat and the Spuds, give it the go-by.

Behold it is the Goat of the Vegetable Kingdom.

Yet there cometh a day when the farmer's wife cutteth the Pumpkin into golden squares and boileth it in the syrup of the sugar cane and addeth thereunto sweet spices, yea even cinnamon and cloves and ginger.

And Lo! A miracle is wrought.

She bringeth forth from the oven the Pumpkin Pie, and the odor hereof is sweeter than the breezes from Cutch.

And the husbandman and the small boy and the Hired Man falleth down in adoration and watereth at the mouth.

For it is a morsel fit for Kings and Princes.

You Know It.

OXFORD VALLEY

Mary B. Nowell has been visiting friends in Cheltenham, Pa.

Stephen Schwetta left on Friday to enlist in the U. S. cavalry.

Mrs. C. W. Spencer has returned from a visit to Danville, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rue and daughter, Lily, spent last Saturday in Trenton.

Mrs. C. Y. Stradling entertained Mr. and Mrs. Granville Stradling last Sunday.

Mrs. Owen Davis and son, Owen, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mrs. A. F. Hibbs.

Mrs. Nirshi and Mrs. Lowe have gone to Newark and New York to visit friends.

Norman Lowry, of Philadelphia, is spending some time with his sister, Mrs. Herbert Bowen.

Our town was well represented at the 'coon supper given by Edward Pickering, Jr., last Saturday night.

Mrs. A. P. Stradling and three children, and Martie Stradling, were in Philadelphia last Saturday to see the Christmas display.

While unloading a boat load of sand last week at the Artesian Ice Company's plant, a large quantity of the sand was spilled into the canal and obstructed the intake pipe through which water for the boilers of Grundy's and Stee's mills are supplied. The water supply was thus cut off and on Saturday night all the water had to be drawn off in the two-mile level. On Sunday morning a force of men was put to work digging the sand out of the pipe end. This is the second time that this accident has occurred in a similar manner.

Miss Mollie Silverman, of Bath street, and Morris Grossman, of Philadelphia, were married last Sunday evening. The ceremony took place in Mohican hall and was attended by a large number of guests. Rabbi Kantnor, of Trenton, officiated. A wedding feast was served after the marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Grossman will reside in New York.

M[...]

School [...]

POSTMA[...]USERS

The charges of [...] against Miss Esther Pancoast, teacher of the Sixth year room were aired Monday night at a meeting of the Morrisville board of education. Postmaster George M. Palmer, a member of the board, whose child was one of those punished by the teacher, made a written request that the charges be investigated further and suggested that the teacher's resignation be asked or she be dismissed. The board, however, failed to take any action except to formally discuss the matter among themselves. One of the members of the board endeavored to bring the matter to a head by moving that the teacher be brought before the board and explain her actions, but this motion was lost. The opinion was freely expressed, though that a teacher should not hit a child over the head, and it was urged that when corporal punishment is needed the child be sent to the principal. Mr Lair, secretary of the board was opposed to the administration of any kind of corporal punishment and thought something should be done to relieve this trouble of having teachers promiscuously slapping and banging the children.

The specific charges against the teacher were made by George Bailey, of Park avenue, and Mr. Palmer. Mr Bond presented the complaint made by Mr. Bailey, stating that the teacher is alleged to have slapped the child over her mouth for continual talking, causing her nose to bleed so profusely that her dress and undergarment were saturated with blood. Mr. Palmer sent a written communication in which he charged the teacher with continually punishing the girl for trifling offenses. He stated he was compelled to take this child out of school because last Thursday the teacher slapped her hands with a ruler and in what he thought was a cruel manner. He says this was the second time during the same session that the child was whipped, and that five children were punished during the same period. Mr Palmer charged that Miss Pancoast was unfit to discipline a schoolroom.

The committee on teachers, Mr. Bond and Dr. Fox, reported that they had investigated the cases to a certain extent and had visited the teacher at the school room and the teacher explained the circumstances to them. It was stated by these members of the board that the teacher said she accidentally struck the Bailey child on the nose while slapping her face and this caused the nose to bleed. It was brought out that Miss Pancoast is not a strict disciplinarian and this causes children to take liberties that they would not take with another instructor. The teacher admitted whipping the Palmer child, but denied having a "pick" on her, the committee reported. It was also pointed out that the teacher is spasmodic in her punishment of her pupils and punishes a number at a time.

Mr. Bond stated that corporal punishment is permissible in Pennsylvania, but urged that striking a child over the face be discontinued and the slapping on the hands be done carefully and only when absolutely necessary.

Prof. Smyser, principal of the school stated that Miss Pancoast was the best natured teacher in the building and did not believe she would punish a child unless it was necessary. He said that while he did not know the nature of the blow used on the Bailey child, he knew that some persons' noses bleed more easily than others.

Dr. Fox, who is a member of the Teachers' committee, stated that he believed the teacher was justified and he thought she was a very able teacher. He admitted her one weak point was discipline, but he added that he knew of others who had less order in class. He was also in favor of letting the matter end as he stated he thought it would not happen again. The board was unanimous in the expression that better discipline should be maintained, with less corporal punishment.

Christmas Trees, Holly, Etc.

Mrs. Emma R. DeWitt, the Homestead Florist, offers the finest Christmas trees in town, holly wreaths, full of berries; loose holly and mistletoe Order early. Also cut flowers for Christmas. Pond, above Walnut street, Bristol.

SLEUTH ARRESTS [...] "SEEING WORLD"

Overheard Conversation and Locked Runaways in Station House.

HAD ROBBED CAMDEN STORE

The alertness of Officer Sackville on Saturday night was responsible for the apprehension of two boys from Camden, who confessed to robbing a store in that city. The officer observed the lads acting in a suspicious manner and after getting in a position where he could overhear their conversation, decided to arrest them.

After being taken to the station house and questioned they confessed to robbing the store of Mrs. Mary Bickle, on Kaighn avenue, Camden, and gave their names as Wiggins Rose, 12 years old, of Third and Vine streets, and Joseph Marino, 10 years old, of Fourth and Cherry streets, Camden. The boys wanted to "see the world" as they expressed it and spent their money for the "movies" and were without funds when picked up. The Camden authorities were communicated with and an officer came to Bristol on Sunday and took the young runaways back to New Jersey.

WM. V. LEECH RE-ELECTED SCHOOL BOARD PRESIDENT

Committee Appointed to Investigate Alleged Misbehavior of High School Basket Ball Team at Trenton.

DORON GREEN VICE PRESIDENT

The annual "convention" of the members of the Bristol school board was held last Monday evening for the purpose of re-organization by the election of a president and vice president.

William H. Booz, the veteran member of the board, acted as chairman. The proceedings were exceedingly formal. Dr. LeCompte nominated William V. Leech, the present incumbent, for president, and Mr. Leech nominated Doron Green for vice president. The secretary, Harvey S. Rue, was instructed to cast the ballot, there being no other nominations.

After assuming his position again as president, Mr. Leech named Mr. Green as a member of the sinking fund committee.

The night for the regular meetings of the board was fixed for the first Wednesday evening in each month, as heretofore.

Subscriptions to the School Journal were renewed.

Complaint being made that the superintendent's room in the high school building could not be properly heated, the matter was referred to the Property committee.

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Let Us Do Your Roasting

We make a specialty of roasting
Turkeys, Chickens, Ducks
Orders called for and delivered free of charge. Telephone 112-L and we will call for the roasting, which must be ready not later than 9 a. m. We can bake that whole ham for you so it will not shrink, too. Let us show you how.
HOT ROLLS AND BREAD
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DECORATED POUND CAKE
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THE BAKER — 204 MILL STREET

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We will give a present for the child with each purchase of
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amounting to $1.00 or over made before Dec. 20th
To boom our
Shoe Department
We will give FREE a pair of shoes or rubbers to the person purchasing the greatest number of pairs of shoes or rubbers before Dec. 20th.
Hanford's Remnant Store, 312 Dorrance Street

Practical Xmas Gifts Are Always Acceptable Gifts

We have them in every line a few of which are here to choose from:
Pure linen hand embroidered handkerchiefs in holiday boxes, from 35c up.
White Aprons, plain or fancy, 25c to 75c.
Ladies' Stockings, in gift boxes, 75c to $1.00.
Ladies' Hand Bags from 50c up.
Children's Leather Bags, from 25c up.
The finest line of Men's Silk half Hose in town at 25c pair, black, tan and white.
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At the Store where your money does its duty
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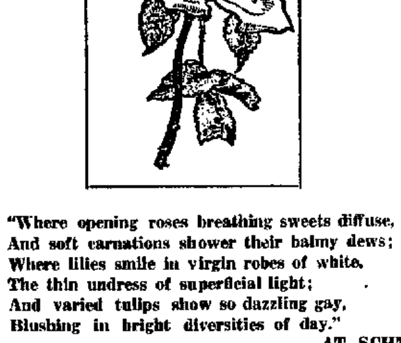
Red, Yellow and Green Stamps.



"Where opening roses breathing sweets diffuse,
And soft carnations shower their balmy dews;
Where lilies smile in virgin robes of white,
The thin undress of superficial light;
And varied tulips show so dazzling gay,
Blushing in bright diversities of day."
—AT SCHMIDT'S

Flowers For Christmas Gifts

What more beautiful Christmas sentiment could be expressed than by the gift of flowers?
Our Massive Greenhouses are filled with fragrant pettaled beauties.
Roses — Chrysanthemums — Carnations
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Holly Wreaths — Laurel Roping — Loose Holly
Mistletoe, Moss Wreaths, Potted Plants
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Protection for the Home
The strongest desire of husband and wife is the welfare of their children.
The husband works hard to provide for them, and would be glad to know how best to safeguard them.
The wife works hard, too—in the home—and is equally interested with her husband in sound insurance protection, such as that offered by the
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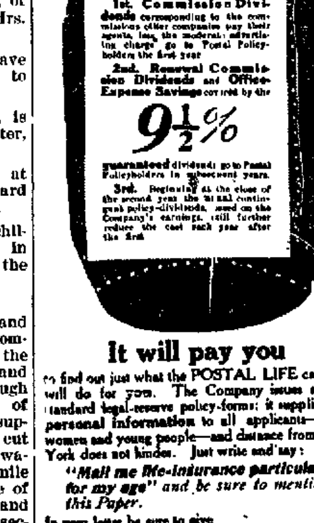

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sometimes that they are dull in mind, depressed in spirits, and that they have headache, backache, and sufferings that make life seem not worth living. But these conditions need be only temporary. They are usually caused by indigestion or biliousness and a few doses of
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will quickly, safely and certainly right the wrong. This famous family remedy tones the stomach, stimulates the liver, regulates the bowels. Beecham's Pills cleanse the system of accumulating poisons and purify the blood. Their beneficial action shows in brighter looks, clearer complexions, better feelings. Try them, and you also will find that they
May Be Relied Upon
Directions of special value with every box. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Christmas Gifts For Men
CIGARS
5c Cigars, 25 in a box......$1.00
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PIPES
From 25 cents to $5.00
All kinds and all shapes.
Also a fine line of
POUCHES, CIGAR CASES, ETC.
All popular SMOKING TOBACCOS in ½ lb. and 1 lb. packages.
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$1.00 CALABASH PIPE 50 CENTS
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For Fine Butter and Eggs

10 Crown Stamps With the Following Grades of Butter

BELLGRADE BUTTER,	40c lb
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GOLDEN SHEAF BUTTER	30c lb
Fine Selected Eggs,	dozen, 30c
Sweet Peas, 7c can / Bellgrade Lard,	11c lb
10 Crown Stamps with each lb. Bellgrade Fruit or Pound Cake	15c
Big Loaf of Bellgrade Bread,	**5c**
Choice Corn, Tomatoes or Pineapple	7c can

5 Crown Stamps with the following:

PACKAGE RAISINS OR CURRANTS	12c
3—5c PACKAGES PUMICE SOAP	3 for 10c
3 BARS LENOX SOAP	3 for 10c
PACKAGE TABLE SALT	5c
CAN KLAWACK SALMON	10c

10 Crown Stamps with the following:

POUND SEEDLESS RAISINS	12c
HALF POUND CITRON, Lemon or Orange Peel	9c
2 BARS LAUTZ NAPTHA SOAP	bar 4½c
CAN KARO SYRUP	10c
PACKAGE BELLGRADE BUCKWHEAT	10c
POUND CALIFORNIA PRUNES	13c, 15c
POUND EVAPORATED APRICOTS	13c, 16c
POUND EVAPORATED PEACHES	12c
POUND FINEST CHEESE	20c

15 Crown Stamps with the following:

2 CANS EARLY JUNE PEAS	can 10c
2 CANS BELLGRADE PEAS	can 12c, 15c
2 CANS BELLGRADE TOMATOES	can 10c
PACKAGE BELLGRADE MACARONI	12c
FAT WHITE MACKEREL	15c
DOZEN SWEET ORANGES	20c, 25c
CAN MIXED VEGETABLES, for soup	10c
2 CANS RED SEAL CLEANSER	can 5c
POUND MOTHERS COFFEE	25c

20 Crown Stamps with the following:

QUARTER POUND BELLGRADE TEA	15c

25 Crown Stamps with the Following:

CAN CALIFORNIA PEACHES	18c, 20c
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CAN TIOGA ASPARAGUS	23c, 25c
PACKAGE KLEENFAST SOAP POWDER	20c

30 Crown Stamps with the Following:

POUND BANQUET COFFEE	30c

35 Crown Stamps with the Following:

BLOATER MACKEREL	20c

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BOX ASSORTED CHOCOLATES	29c
CAN MAZOLA SALAD OIL	20c
BOX FINE TOILET SOAP	20c
POUND CAN BELLGRADE COFFEE	35c

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In Our Meat Department:

Fresh Hams, Pork Shoulders, Fresh Pork Chops, Fresh Roasting Pork — 16c lb

NICE REGULAR HAMS	18c lb
MUTTON CHOPS	
Loin Chops	20c lb
Rib Chops	16c lb
Rack Chops	11c lb
Finest Sauer Kraut	5c qt
Clean White Celery	3 stalks 10c

RICH TENDER BEEF	
Rump and Round Steak	25c lb
Sirloin Steak	25c lb
Choice Rib Roast	18c lb
Best Cut Rib Roast	22c lb
Chuck Roast	17c lb
Boneless Pot Roast	17c lb
Lean Boiling Beef	14c lb
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MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS.
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Big Vaudeville Show and Moving Pictures
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The San Carlo Grand Opera Company will give
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TICKETS
Reserved Seats, - $1.50
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Tickets and Librettos on sale at the following places:
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Have you seen our latest delivery car on Ford Chassis? It is a beauty. Best for service and durability. Inexpensive to operate and keep up. Gives better service to your customers, and is really a new asset, and new business developer to your business at the least possible expense.
Let me show you what you can save.
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A Substantial
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WHY NOT?
To that dear companion, friend, parent, or child
Slippers Boots Shoes
Please get your orders in early; we will hold them. A new thing in town. RED RUBBER BOOTS, Hunting Shoes and Felt Overs. Guaranteed
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Pea, "	5.50.

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To the folks who live above us, a[nd] get their rye instead.
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Who, when we order sirloin steak, is [...] to bring pork down,
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Of a crazy old typewriter that [...] was come for ease.
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Who, just we're long lived, has [...] us quite to death
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All these we give and more, and ve[...] nger doesn't rise
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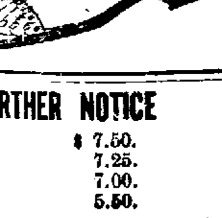

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TRIBUTE TO ABSENT BROTHERS

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On Sunday Bristol Lodge of Elks held this impressive ceremony to which cards of invitation were issued to the public It was held at the Riverside theatre.

Previous to the memorial service a Lodge of Sorrow was held in the lodge room after which the members marched down Radcliffe street to the theatre and occupied the front rows of seats, while the officers took position on the stage.

A large white star was in position at the back of the stage to which were affixed eighteen incandescent electric lights and during the ceremony as the secretary called the roll of the deceased members, upon the failure of each to respond, one of the lights would go out until the stage was in darkness.

The members who have passed away are Dr. Wilbur M. Peirce, John Morrison, John Shelly Wright, Howard Williams, John Peze, Edward M. Peirce, John A. Hellings, John N. DeGroot, Dr. W. H. Biehn, Philip Winter, J. Carl Hibbs, William Mawson, Charles Mawson, William Ortman, George W. Rapp, and John S. Smith.

The local eulogy was delivered by Dr. W. H. Fox, of Morrisville, and the memorial address by William A. Pike, Esq of Philadelphia, treasurer of the Pennsylvania Educational Alliance. His subject was "Fraternity."

Miss Catherine Baker, of Bristol township, in sweet voice sang two beautiful solos, "Hold Thou My Hand," and "My God and Father, While I Stray."

The Elks' Glee Club, which has just been recently organized, under the direction of Thomas S. Snelson, Mus. Doc., sang "Our Absent Brother" and Nearer, My God, to Thee," by Flint.

The ceremonies were conducted by Exalted Ruler Roy Tracy, who made the opening remarks.

BRISTOL ELKS HAVE A DEER SUPPER

Were Guests of Mr. Anderson Who Shot the Game in Maine Woods.

On Tuesday evening about one hundred members of the Bristol Elks' Lodge were the guests of Clifford L. Anderson at a venison supper. Mr. Anderson recently returned from his annual visit to the Maine woods, and brought with him two fine deer, one of which was served to his brother members.

The rathskeller of the home presented a gala scene Tuesday night with its long tables loaded with good things to eat, music, songs and stories

As the guests sat down to the table, Mr Anderson said that he wished to state for the benefit of the press and doubting brothers that "I shot the deer."

During the evening Howard I. James acted as toastmaster. There were selections by the Elks' Glee Club, character songs, sketches and stories by Harry Knowles and Fuller Boas, of Philadelphia; a monologue and solos Leon Steifer; duet by William V. Leech and Thomas Snelson. Hill's orchestra, of Trenton, furnished music during the evening.

This is the fourth annual venison supper that the Bristol Elks have enjoyed upon the return of Mr. Anderson from Maine. It was a delightful occasion and the honored host was given a royal vote of appreciation.

Speaker For Men's Meeting.

Owing to a confusion of dates word has been received that Senator Coe I Crawford, who was to address the Men's Meeting in the First Baptist church on Sunday afternoon, will be unable to come to Bristol at this time. However, Rev. Johnston says that he has a number of eloquent speakers on his emergency list and will have one of them here on Sunday. He is unable to announce the name at the time of going to press but assures the men of hearing a good address, as usual.

Conductor Killed on Railroad.

R. T. Elder, 65 years old, a conductor in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, was killed at North Bristol about 10 o'clock Tuesday night by an eastbound freight train. Mr. Elder got off his train to examine a hot box and did not notice the approach of the freight train on track No. 4 and was instantly killed.

The deceased was 65 years of age and a resident of Wilmington, Del., and had he lived another year would have been placed upon the pension list. The body was taken in charge by Deputy Coroner Harvey S. Rue, of Bristol, and later shipped to Wilmington.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pope, of Linden street, Bristol, announce the engagement of their daughter, Charlotte A., to Andrew Hunter Clark.

Waterway Delegates Appointed.

The eleventh annual convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress is now in session at Washington, having convened on Wednesday. Last week Governor Tener appointed Joseph R. Grundy and William C. Peirce, of Bristol, as delegates.

Divorce Granted.

In the Bucks county court on Tuesday a divorce was granted Mary L. Gilkeson from Leonard B. Gilkeson, of Bristol.

A Doll Sale.

Any one who has dolls to buy for Christmas should buy them at the doll sale in the old Presbyterian church, Friday evening and Saturday. Dolls of various sizes, arranged in beautiful style, will be for sale, also cakes and candy. A collection of Venezuelan dolls, representing native costumes, will be for sale and are unique. Not on sale in any store.

A Real Live Turkey Fair.

Something brand new for Bristol. Every one is looking forward to Christmas and the proverbial turkey dinner. How to provide the turkey is the question that is bothering many, but has been solved in a most novel manner by the members of Bristol Fire Company, No. 1.

They propose holding a turkey fair in the old postoffice building, at the corner of Radcliffe and Market streets, from 8 to 10 p. m., on the evenings of December 17th, 18th and 19th, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Don't forget the dates.

One hundred turkeys, fine, well fattened gobblers, that will bring joy and good cheer to many a home, will be given away.

Don't miss your Christmas turkey, so be sure to be on hand.

Pumping Engine Demonstration.

A demonstration for the benefit of the Bristol firemen of an automobile gasoline pumping engine was given last Saturday afternoon at the Mill street boat wharf and also at the corner of Radcliffe and Walnut streets, pumping the water in the first instance from the river and from the fireplug at the second trial.

The apparatus gave a splendid performance, throwing three good streams through several hundred feet of hose. It is considered that this particular machine is quite large enough for the needs of the borough.

LITTLE MOTOR APPARATUS PUMPS 500 GALS. A MINUTE

Exhibition of Type of Pumping Engine Needed for Bristol Fire Department.

ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS

The demonstration given by the pumping engine in Bristol on last Saturday was intended as an exhibition of what that type of machine is really capable of. The pump that was used on that occasion is the product of a firm at Wayne, Pa., who manufacture an entire brass rotary pump, made on the Waterous type, and install it in any type of car having an engine powerful enough to propel it. The car shown had been assembled with a Simplex chasis and their make of 500 gallon per minute capacity pump, the engine having a rated horse power of forty-eight.

Owing to the velocity of the wind and the inclemency of the day the test was not altogether a fair one, but in a measure it tended to show the main points that are claimed for that type of machine. It demonstrated the advantage of being able to respond quickly in case of an alarm and that upon arrival at the scene of the fire it is only a question of a few seconds before water is being pumped. There is none of the delay occasionel by running about town to find horses, and then having to gear them to the steamer, with another long wait before steam is up, and in the meanwhile the fire goes merrily on, It means quick action; is a great time saver, and in case of an alarm of fire, that is everything.

That the gasoline engine is rapidly replacing the steamer can be seen by the advertising pages of journals devoted to fire protection, as their space is almost entirely taken up by the manufacturers of motor driven pumping engines.

If possible, it is the intention of the Chief of the Bristol fire department, to have other demonstrations made with different makes of cars so that the public may be able to form a clear idea of what powerful little agents, in throwing water, these machines are. It would really need no further test to show the people that our department lacks just this one element to place it on a first-class basis, and that until such a machine is purchased there will always exist the feeling that we, as citizens, are remiss in our duty if we have failed to supply the proper equipment that our fire department actually needs.

This is one instance, where by working as a whole, the citizens of our town may accomplish something worth while, and no selfish motives should deter anyone from subscribing to the fund that is being raised. Let us unanimously support this project. May it be said of Bristolians, that when they undertake anything that is of benefit to the town they carry it to a successful completion. Help these men of our fire department and not only help them yourself, but induce others so that all may have a share in the natural pride that we shall feel when the object is attained.

Remember that any subscription that is sent to Chief Franklin Gilkeson or Burgess Thomas Scott will help the men of No. 1 Fire Company in the purchase of a motor driven pumping engine.

Realizing that many of our townspeople have not had an opportunity to contribute to the fund now being raised for the purchase of the pumping engine, and who would gladly do so if the question was properly presented to them, the members of Bristol Fire Company, No. 1, have appointed a committee consisting of fifteen men, who are authorized to solicit subscriptions from those who have not already donated towards this fund. It is hoped that when approached by these duly accredited solicitors, and upon their exhibiting their proper credentials, that our citizens will cheerfully subscribe to whatever sum they may be able to give. Show the firemen that they have the unanimous support of our entire people in this effort to secure an apparatus which will enable them to render the best of service in the extinguishment of fires. The town needs it and it will be for the protection of all. Welcome these men and encourage them in every way that you can.

The subscriptions received so far are as follows:

Amount previously reported	$2556 00
Dr. H. C. Fleckenstine	5 00
Angelo di Renzo	5 00
C. Wesley Milnor	1 50
Alvin E. Milnor	50
Annie B. Landreth	10 00
Anchor Yacht Club	10 00
Henry E. Ancker	5 00
Phoenix Assurance Co.	10 00
S. T. Valentine	5 00
Richard Blanche	1 00
John W. Birkey	5 00
Mrs. R. H. Morris	15 00
J. Edward Lovett	5 00
Henry Baker	1 00
John C. Hamm	1 00
Hugh Hill	5 00
Bell Grocery Co.	25 00
Platt Yungman Co.	10 00
Harvey S. Rue	5 00
Frank Risley	5 00
Abram B. Wilson	1 00
Total	$2684 00

ANOTHER GRAND OPERA AT BRISTOL THEATRE

"Rigoletto" to Be Given by the San Carlo Grand Opera Company.

Another rare treat is promised the lovers of grand opera in Bristol on Monday evening, December 21st, when the beautiful opera "Rigoletto," will be given by the San Carlo Grand Opera Company, at the Bristol theatre, Wood street and Lincoln avenue.

The management of the theatre has gone to great expense to secure this company of talented performers for the rendering of this opera and there will be a first-class orchestra in attendance. The chorus will be comprised of nearly fifty voices and there is no doubt but what it will be a treat for all who go to hear it.

The opera given last month drew forth a large audience and from the manner in which the tickets are selling the prospects are that the beautiful new playhouse will be taxed to its full capacity on this occasion.

The prices of admission are $1 50 for reserved seats and 75 cents and $1 for other seats. Tickets and charts have been placed in a number of different parts of the town and librettos in English and Italian will be on sale at all places where tickets may be obtained as follows:

Wright's pharmacy, 123-127 Mill street.
Italian restaurant, 349 Penn street.
Arcadia's store, Jefferson avenue and Chestnut street.
No. 307 Lincoln avenue.
No. 1020 Wood street.
Theatre box office.

Angelo Di Renzo and Gaetano Greco are the principal owners and managers of the new enterprise and deserve much credit for bringing grand opera to Bristol and their efforts should be rewarded by a good turnout.

Death of Former Bristolian.

Word was received in Bristol yesterday of the death of Mrs. Benjamin Tomlinson, a former resident of this borough, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Myers, Newark, N. J., on Tuesday evening, December 8th. The funeral services will be held in the Methodist church on Saturday at 2.30 p. m.

Mrs. George Louderbough, of Bath street, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. William B. Mack, in Philadelphia.

BRISTOL TO HAVE FINEST COOKING SCHOOL IN STATE

In Connection With Borough Public School System It Will be Inaugurated First of the Year.

MRS. GRUNDY DONATED $750

After the first of the year there will be inaugurated in connection with the public school system of Bristol one of the finest and most complete cooking schools that there is in the State of Pennsylvania.

This important adjunct to the Bristol schools has been made possible by the generous gifts of Mrs. William H. Grundy, who at first made a donation of $500 and has since increased it to $750 for this purpose.

The second floor of the old Wood street school house has been renovated and made ideal for the purpose. The room has all been white enamelled and contract let for the equipment, as follows:

Tables and hardware to Peirce & Williams.
Plumbing to J. S. Shreve, Tacony
Tiling for tops of all the tables to C. A. Saddards, of Philadelphia.
Painting to John B. Appleton.

There will be about a dozen gas stoves included in the equipment and a large dresser for dishes and a handsome large gas range donated by D. A. Elias, manager of the local gas company.

The girls eligible to take the cooking course will be those in the eighth grades at Wood, Bath and Jefferson avenue schools and the first year high school

Negotiations are now under way to have one of the instructors of the Drexel Institute to come here two days a week.

President Leech has taken a deep interest in the new project and declares there will be no superior similar institution in the State.

CHESTER STOVER DIED SUDDENLY IN HOSPITAL

Went to City on Monday and Succumbed After the Operation.

FUNERAL WILL BE TOMORROW

Ralph Chester Stover, in his 63rd year, a well known resident of Bristol, died suddenly in the Hahnemann hospital, Philadelphia, on Monday after an operation to relieve strangulated hernia. Death was totally unexpected as the operation was a successful one after which the patient rallied normally.

In company with Dr. Abbott, Mr. Stover went down on the 9 13 train Monday morning and sat in the smoking car. He chatted with friends who did not even know he was ill, and on reaching Broad street station he walked to the hospital on Fifteenth street, above Race. Dr. Abbott stayed at the hospital until after the patient came out from under the influence of the ether, leaving the hospital at 3.15 o'clock fully convinced that his patient was doing splendidly. When he reached home at 4.30 he received a telephone message that Mr Stover was dead.

At the hospital it is stated that the nurse who attended Mr. Stover was talking to him and he seemed in good spirits and getting along nicely. She turned her back for a few moments to attend to something in the room and when she went back to the bed she was shocked to find that death had taken place without warning. It is one of those peculiar and rare cases of sudden collapse after an operation.

The deceased is survived by a widow and one son, John B. Stover, of Kansas City, who arrived in Bristol yesterday.

The funeral will take place tomorrow at 2 p. m. from the deceased's late residence, 339 Dorrance street. Interment in Bristol cemetery.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Baptist.
William T. Johnston, Minister.
Morning service, 10.30, preaching by Rev. Henry W. Lambert, of Philadelphia.
Sunday school at 2 o'clock.
Men's meeting at 3.45.
Baptist Young People's Union at 6.45 p. m.
Evening service, 7.45, preaching by Rev. Henry W. Lambert.

Methodist Episcopal.
Rev. Dr. George M. Brodhead, Pastor.
Brotherhood Meeting, 9.45 a. m.
Morning service, 10.30. Sermon by the pastor.
Sunday school, 2.15 p. m.
Epworth League devotional service at 6.45.
Evening service at 7.45.
Junior Epworth League, Wednesday afternoon at 3.45.
Weekly prayer service, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Presbyterian.
Charles E. Burns, D. D., Pastor.
Baptism of children, 10.30.
Sunday school at 2.30. Organization of Men's Bible Class.
Christian Endeavor, 6.45 p. m.
Evening service, 7.30.
Prayer meeting and Bible study, Wednesday evening.
Junior Endeavor, Wednesday at 3.45 p. m.

Italian Presbyterian.
Nicola B. Caterino, Pastor.
Mrs. A. W. Groom, Missionary.
Preaching at 10.30 a. m.
Sunday night service, last Sunday of the month, 7.30.
Prayer meeting, Friday, 7.30 p. m.

St. James the Greater.
Rev. J. A. Carr, Rector.
Third Sunday in Advent.
Holy Eucharist, 7.30 a. m.
Choral Eucharist, 10.30.
Evening Prayer, 7.30 p. m.
Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, Ember Days.

Bethel A. M. E.
Rev. J. A. Browne, Pastor.
10.30 a. m., preaching.
2.30 p. m., Sunday school.
8 p. m., preaching.

St. Anns Church.
8.30 a. m., low mass.
10.45 a. m., low mass and Benediction of Blessed Sacrament.

Hulmeville Methodist.
Rev. J. R. Laird, Pastor.
Morning service at 10.45 in charge of Howard Vansant. Sermon by A. J. Roberts, of Philadelphia.
Sunday school at 2 p. m.
Epworth League at 6.45 p. m. led by May Vansant. Topic: "How Much Do We Love Christ?"
7.30 p. m., evening service. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Branded and Scarred."

The following letters remain unclaimed at the Bristol postoffice: Peter Cackuts, Kukmopy Makyreu, Flannini Nicola, Alva Stackhouse, Fannie Slaughter.

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LANGHORNE

Mrs. Daniel G. Hartney, of Jenkintown, was a Tuesday visitor in town.

The fire company has purchased the much needed equipment for fourteen men.

Clarence Gillingham and wife, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mrs. Sara P. Gillingham.

A cantata is being rehearsed by Mrs. Bingham's Sunday school class, to be given in the hall in January.

Matthew Bennett, who has been associated with our local express company, has accepted a position in the store at Dolington.

The sewing school under the direction of the Civic committee of Sorosis is doing good work among the pupils of the public school.

The Friends' First Day School will hold their Christmas entertainment on Third Day evening, at 7.30, December 22nd, in the school building.

The Bucks County Realty Company has rented the Theodore G. Ley property on the Byberry and Bensalem turnpike to Lorenzo Lombardi.

John P. Black has taken the agency for the Overland, has a fine car for demonstration of the excellent qualities at his automobile and carriage works.

An auction sale and musicale will be the attraction at Sorosis on the evening of January 14th, the admission being a package worth not less than ten cents.

William Haines, who has for a long time been employed by Kolb's bakery, of Trenton, delivering in this section, severed his connection with said company December 1.

An unusually interesting meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association was held in the public school on Tuesday, when question box answers were given. Music was furnished by Miss Agnes P. Sellers.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brinton, who have been spending the fall at their home at Vetnor, returned to their Langhorne home for a short time and left on Wednesday for Florida to stay for the winter.

John Praul, who was thrown from a wagon, sustaining severe bruises about the head, is now about again. The horse started while he was changing his position from the back of the wagon to the front.

A Koffee Klatch will be held at the home of Mrs. Reineck on Monday evening, December 14th, for the benefit of the Parkland building fund. The admission will be 10 cents and include refreshments.

The Young Friends' Association will meet the 18th in the Friends' school house. The program will include "Ancient Christmas Customs," Florence Newbold; "Legends and Superstitions of Christmas," Ruth A. Wildman; "Thank'um," Edward Knight; "The Other Wise Man," Anna R. Paxson. All friends are invited to be present and enjoy the Christmas program

The W. C. T. U. will have an all-day Christmas Sewing Circle at the home of Mrs. Susan G Hancock on Friday, December 18th, at 10 a. m., and those not able to come in the morning are requested to come and help in the afternoon. The articles are for United States needy. Bring your box luncheon, scissors, needles, thread and thimble and lend a helping hand.

A meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. church will be held at Mrs. John LeCompte's on Wednesday The next meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will be held at the home of Mrs. Frederick C. Morrell instead of at Mr. Kine's, on Tuesday, December 15th, the topics will be "Syria and Persia," and "The Mountaineers."

Both sides of your nature and needs may be supplied at Sorosis on Thursday, the 17th, by a "Gift Table," and a "Bake Table." Each will have a very attractive display. You know what good bakers the Langhorne women are, but you don't know what pretty things there are in store for you at the gift table. There will also be pictures and calendars by Thomas Higgins, of Bath, Maine, of New England scenes, and by Miss Mary King Stokes, of "Along the Neshaminy,' and scenes of her trip to Europe last summer.

A meeting of Sorosis presenting topics of "Industrial Interests" proved to be a very wide awake meeting with excellent papers by Mrs. Joseph J. Broadhurst, "Employers' Liability," and Mrs. Arthur P. Townsend, "Industrial Development a Crime Prevention," with a discussion led by Mrs Ezekiel L. Pryor, a great many views being presented by the members. In the Literary and Art Department, "A Day With Literary Women and the Civic Work They Have Done," by Mrs. Harry C Rothermel and "The Fountainebleau-Barbijou School," by Mrs. Edward B. Morgan (read by Miss Grace S. Pryor), proved a most interesting afternoon. Current events in art, were given by Mrs. Joseph B. Heritage. The meeting on December 7th, for the Art and Literary sections was postponed and will be united with the program for January 11th. The Civic committee program for December 8th included a discussion on "Educational Topics," and Mrs. Sara E. Allen read an article concerning the "Anti-Noise Crusade of the Philadelphia Civic Club" which was humorous as well as practical.

Burglars Busy at New Hope.

Burglars are still busy in New Hope, the hardware store of John G. Cryer & Co. being the latest to be entered. They gained entrance to the store by removing a pane of glass from a side door,and carired away about$100 worth of watches, revolvers, penknives. They were evidently unafraid of being disturbed as they partially replaced the window glass. New Hope has been particularly free from robberies until within the last few nights, when at least six entries have been reported.

Thomas Mooney Named Magistrate.

The police committee of common council, of Burlington, N. J., has appointed Thomas S. Mooney, brother of James E. Mooney, of Bristol, as police magistrate to fill the unexpired term of Charles P. Smith, who recently died.

At the meeting of council next Tuesday the body will take action on the permanent election of some one for the office. Mr. Mooney is well qualified to fill the position, and it is believed his verdict on cases will be rendered according to the evidence rendered in each case. He was city clerk for some time, and during his occupancy of the clerkship rendered satisfactory services.

Did Not Die From Vaccination.

Dr. H. Pursell, secretary of the Bristol Board of Health, has issued a statement in which it is denied that Hildegardis Gross, a six-year-old child of Swain street, died from vaccination as has been reported by many newspapers. The statement says that the child developed acute Bright's disease and this caused her death. It is pointed out that the child's brother was vaccinated with the same tube of virus and that the little fellow did not develop any serious results.

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In Memoriam.

HOLLAND—In sad, but loving remembrance of our son, LeRoy, who parted from this life December 16, ...
In memory we often think
Of one we loved so dear;
The vision grows so clear sometimes
We think he must be near.
Days of sadness still come over us,
Tears of sorrow silently flow;
For memory keeps our loved one near us,
Though heaven claimed him two years ago.
Sadly missed by
FATHER, MOTHER, SISTER, BROTHER
We do not know the pain he bore,
We did not see him die,
We only know he went away
And could not say good bye.
GRANDMA AND A...

SPECIAL NOTICES

Advertisements under this head will be inserted for one cent a word. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

FOR RENT—$10 per month 303 Walnut street. Apply to Wm. R. Laing, 829 Radcliffe street. 12-11-tf

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FOR SALE—Good rolling top desk, parlor heating stove, new sideboard. Apply to 212 Mill street.

FOR SALE—A well broken goat and wagon. Ed. Prickett, 451 Lafayette street, Bristol.

FOR SALE—An Edison Home Phonograph in good order, with horn and carrying case of 21 records. This outfit will be sold very cheap. Chambers' Repair Shop, 221 Wood street, Bristol, Pa. 12-4-2t

FOR SALE—Parker Guns, two hammerless guns, used very little;one field gun, the other trap gun. Sold to close an estate. W. F. Leedom. 12-4-2t

ROOMS FOR STORAGE—Apply to 261 Wood street. 9-11-13t

FOR SALE—Second-hand 4 h. p. Water Cooled Gasoline Engine. Used only one season. Also a 1 h. p. and a 6 h. p. S. B. Ardrey & Sons, Bristol, Pa. 9-4-tf

HAVE JUST RECEIVED a new lot of Marble and Granite. Place your order now and get advantage of same. We will hold for you, then you will not be disappointed in the fall. Bannister Marble and Granite Works. 1-30-tf

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FOR RENT—Two good houses on Burgess Farm, adjoining village of Fallsington. Apply to John W. Tatum, Fallsington, Pa. 3-27-tf

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Three bedroom suits, 1 single bed, 3 chamber sets, bureaus, beds, bedding, 2 feather beds, clothes rack, clothes basket, lot of good brussels, ingrain and rag carpets, lot matting, haircloth parlor suit, 3 pieces; 2 marble-top tables, 2 parlor lamps, pictures, lot of rocking chairs, cane seat, diningroom and kitchen chairs, 4 porch chairs, looking glasses, leather couch, hall rack, drop leaf table, one 12-feet walnut extension table, desk, stands, lot window curtains, 1 Register heater (Hazel heater, No. 14), one good cook stove, No. 9; oil cook stove sewing machine, one dinner set, all kinds of dishes, bowls, pitchers, etc., coal scuttle, sad irons, wash tubs, bench table, pie closet, oil cloth, stepladder, hatchet, saw, wood horse, spade, shovels, lot of glassware, lot of glass jars, all kinds of kitchen utensils, tea kettles, pans, broilers, etc., lantern, lawn mower, and lots of other things, as everything is to be sold.

Sale to commence at 12 30 p. m. Terms cash.

LEMUEL VANDEGRIFT,
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Jesse Magill, Auctioneer.

Farmers National Bank of Bucks Co.

Bristol, Pa., December 10, 1914.
The annual meeting of the shareholders for the election of Directors, and such other business as may come before them, will be held at the Banking House, TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1915, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 o'clock noon.
CHARLES E. SCOTT, Cashier
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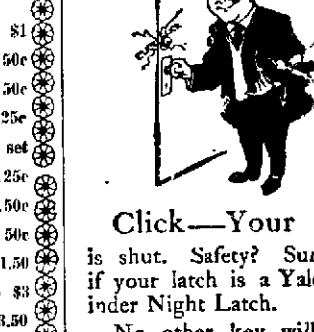
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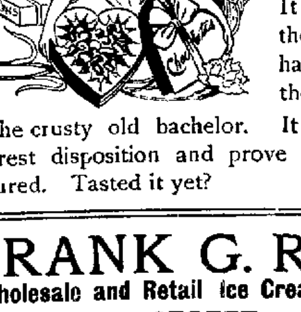
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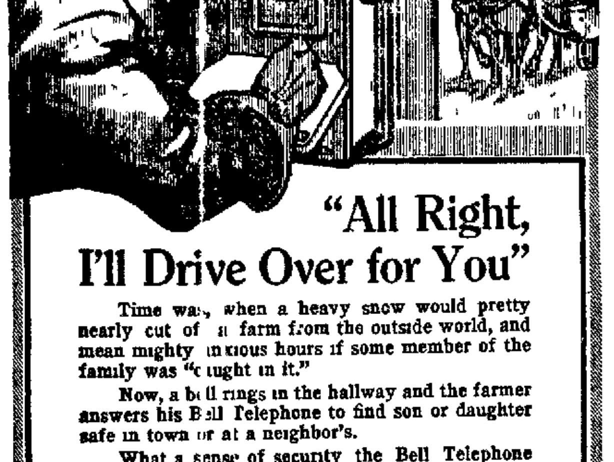

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